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For: SUPERJUNCTION DEVICE WITH ADDED CHARGE AT TOP OF PYLONS TO  
INCREASE RUGGEDNESS

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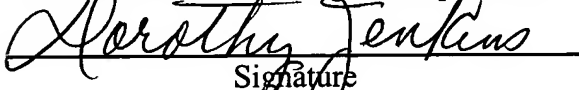
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